

# THE KINSLEY GRAPHIC.

"A TIME LIKE THIS DEMANDS STRONG MINDS, GREAT HEARTS, TRUE FAITH AND READY HANDS."

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KINSLEY, EDWARDS COUNTY, KANSAS, MARCH 13, 1903.

J. M. LEWIS, JR.

**The Unity Concert Company**  
The following letter in reference to the entertainment given by the Unity Concert Company at Leland, Ill., will serve to show how much this show was appreciated by the people of that place:

LELAND, ILL., Feb. 12, 1903.  
REDPATH LYCEUM BUREAU,  
Chicago, Ill.

GENTLEMEN:—Ever since the Macy Company was here in October, every one has been looking forward to this concert of the Unity Company with great expectation, and I am pleased to tell that they were not disappointed.

Miss Horr, as an elocutionist, is simply grand. One can not decide which she is the best in, for she seems equally at home in whatever she undertakes.

The flute and piccolo playing by Mr. Batchelder was just fine, as was also Mr. Swan's playing of the violin, and enthusiastically applauded.

Miss Baker's singing and her attractive appearance on the stage brought forth deserving applause.

We do not forget Miss Eids's part in the evening entertainment. As an accompanist she certainly is fine.

Altogether the concert was a success, and the last number on the program by the whole company was a decided hit. The Fortnightly club are well pleased with the entertainment furnished them this winter by the Redpath Lyceum Bureau, and have only good words for that organization.

Yours very truly,  
IDA GEORGE COVE.

The Unity Concert Company is the last number of the entertainment course given under the auspices of Kinsley citizens and will be here Wednesday, March 18.

## Methodist Church Program.

The following program will be rendered at the Methodist church on Sunday, March 22:

Instrumental Music	Chorus
Prayer	
Music.....Male Quartette	
Duet.....Pauline Abernethy	
Scripture Reading.....Oscar Bridges	
Ladies' Chorus	
Paper "Finland and Her People"	
Solo.....DeEtte Wellman	
Paper "The Religious Condition of Finland"	
Instrumental Music	
Paper "The Present Condition of Finland"	
Remarks by the Pastor.	

## Entertainment Coming.

There will be an entertainment at the opera house Saturday evening, March 14, under the auspices of the A. O. U. W. The Workmen have engaged Mr. Henderson, the Drummer Boy of the Rappahannock, to come with his son and give their excellent exhibition. They will be assisted by local talent. This is sure to be a popular entertainment.

## Rendering of "The Messiah."

The greatest musical event of the year in Kansas is, the rendering of the "Messiah," at Lindsborg, Kans., will be given April 5, 7, 8 and 10.

No fancy admission prices either. Reserved seats for the "Messiah" concert only 75 cents. Reserved seats for the afternoon concert only 50 cents. The large cities would charge two or three times more.

Railroads offer half-fare. There will be special train service, in fact, everything will be done to make the trip an easy and pleasant one.

Get your tickets reserved early. Never before has the outlook for large crowds throughout the week been as good as this year. The Auditorium has 2850 numbered seats. 4000 people could be crowded in. The building is circular with a diameter of 110 feet.

The grand chorus of four hundred voices, accompanied by a magnificent orchestra of fifty pieces, will swell the notes of the melody to heights that the imagination can scarcely reach. The Wichita Star. The "Messiah" renditions for 1903 occur on April 5, 7, 8, 10 and 12. For special information see your local agent or write G. E. Anderson, Business Manager, Lindsborg, Kansas.

Friday, April 10.—Good Friday Specials over Santa Fe from Dodge City and Emporia, Missouri Pacific from Eureka. Visitors from Dodge to Ellinwood will take No. 8 regular, connecting without wait at Ellinwood, returning by special train after the concert. Regular morning train from Peabody will connect with special at Florence. People along Santa Fe Great Bend to Scott City, take regular morning train to Great Bend joining special at that point.

For the above occasion excursion tickets will be sold over the Santa Fe at \$3.70 for the round trip. Dates of sale, April 4 to 12 inclusive. Continuous passage in each direction, going trip to commence on date of sale. Final return limit April 14. For the accommodation of passengers on the main line—Dodge City to Ellinwood—we will run one or more through coaches to Lindsborg on April 10 on trains 6 and 336 to McPherson and up to destination, arriving at Lindsborg about 2:30 p. m. Returning home, leave Lindsborg immediately after the evening concert, about 10:30 o'clock.

## Colds Are Dangerous.

How often you hear it remarked: "It's only a cold," and a few days later learn that the man is on his back with pneumonia. This is of such common occurrence that a cold, however slight, should not be disregarded. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy counteracts any tendency toward pneumonia. It always cures and is pleasant to take. For sale by C. A. Mosher & Co.

## Notice.

All parties owing Marsh & Bidwell accounts contracted prior to the first of February, 1903, will please call and make settlement at once. This is imperative and must receive prompt attention.

E. T. BIDWELL.

## Mrs. Joseph Carpenter.

The following story will interest the people of the South Side who have known Mrs. Carpenter for many years as she is one of the old settlers. Ordinarily we would not give matters of this kind publicity but owing to the fact that many distorted versions of the affair are in circulation we think it best for all concerned that the truth should be made public. Mrs. Carpenter is now at her home near Lewis:

WICHITA, KAN., March 6, 1903.  
MR. B. C. SMITH,  
Lewis, Edwards Co. Kan.

DEAR SIR:—We believe the time has come when we should make known to some of Mrs. E. Carpenter's friends the true state of affairs in regard to herself, and at her request write you, as she counts you her true friend, and if so, the following will be of interest to you. For a little while things ran pretty smooth at her daughter's home, but in view of possible gain, they began to mistreat Mrs. Carpenter to such an extent the neighbors took a hand in her behalf. They have whipped the old lady and would not let her go home, and forbid her going to the neighbors or any where else. About one month ago they were tried for whipping her before Police Judge Stanley, but the judge smoothed things over and we thought things would go better but it was the same again. They tell her that George will not have her on the place but she is very homesick, and no wonder—the hell she has been living in. Sunday Mrs. Carpenter applied to the poor commission for a transportation, but Wright put in and yesterday they swore her insane and last night she spent behind the bars of the Wichita jail. Think of it. This morning at 10 o'clock she was tried before a jury of four picked men. I was a witness in her defense; also Dr. Hutton, who examined her as to her sanity. I am glad to say we came off victors and the old lady feels better tonight. She is in good health now, too. I brought her home with me after the trial. She has friends who will not see her in want, but she wants to come home. She is out of money, as they will not let her have any.

Mrs. Long is in the mire as deep as any, I believe, but we will see what we can do tomorrow. She talks of making you her guardian, hence this letter. Frank Wright, Laura and Frank Carpenter swore to infamous lies; among other things, that she was so loony she neglected Joseph Carpenter in his death sickness. It grieves her very much. We would like to hear from you at an early date and know your feelings in the matter.

We will have to get her trunk from Laura's tomorrow, but will have to take an officer. They shall not abuse the old lady any more. If you think best you can show this to George Carpenter. The following names are of neighbors who vouch for the truth of this letter. If you want further proof write Mrs. Ella Glen, Shields, Police Matron, Wichita, Kan. Write me as they will stop all letters to Mrs. Carpenter. Hoping this letter will meet with hearty response I remain, waiting an answer, Mrs. J. M. LEVINGUE.

703 W. Central, Wichita, Kan.  
J. M. LEVINGUE,  
U. F. BISHOP,  
W. R. BIGGS,  
MRS. LEE BISHOP,  
MRS. M. A. KIMBALL.

The following account of the trial of Mrs. Carpenter for insanity was taken from one of the Wichita papers: Emily C. Carpenter was tried for insanity in the probate court this morning, and when all of the evidence was introduced the jury found that she was not insane. There were many witnesses, but the evidence failed to show that the woman was sufficiently unbalanced to admit of sending her to a hospital for treatment. Dr. Hutton, who examined her at the request of the court, failed to find conclusive evidence of insanity, and so reported. The jury was composed of W. H. Parr, J. M. Martin, Orang Bugbee and J. S. Sheppard.

## Obituary.

Mrs. Harriet Blair, wife of Mr. D. M. Blair of Wendell, died at the home of her son, A. W. McClanahan last Wednesday of consumption. She had been an invalid for some time. Deceased was sixty-three years of age, and was born in Nicholas county, Kentucky.

She and her husband have lived in our county two years and have made many warm friends during their residence here.

Mrs. Blair was a sympathetic christian character whose strongest characteristic was unselfishness. The funeral was held at the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. C. Fisher, Friday at 11 a. m. The sermon was by Rev. Strong from the lines of Paul to the Corinthians, "Blessed be God who comforteth us in all our tribulations," and his words were full of hope for those who mourned. The congregational church choir sang Jesus, Lover of my soul, and asleep in Jesus.

Mrs. James Blair, brother of deceased, Messrs. Frank and James Porter and Clifford Blair, nephews, came from Lyons to attend the funeral; also Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Ralston of Sterling, daughter and son-in-law were here.

There were many beautiful floral tributes, among them a large bunch of lilies from old friends in Wellington, Kan. The interment took place in the Kinsley cemetery.

## For Sale or Trade.

Good Stallion and Jack. At my farm, two miles southwest of Belpré, NICK GRAY.

## Club Notes.

The subject of music engrossed the attention of the Woman's Club Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Dyer's, Mrs. Blanchard had the program and her subject, the German composers, was presented in a very attractive and forcible manner. Her paper was one of the very best ever presented to the club. She possesses the faculty of sketching in the important things in her theme and filling it in with the interesting details. The entire list of German musicians from Bach to the living composers was touched upon.

Mrs. Blanchard said, "Music is the art which best expresses our thoughts and feelings."

Not only is making music an art, it is an art to hear it. Perhaps the greatest drawback to our musical culture is that we are inclined to think of music as something which must act upon us while we do nothing.

The remedy for our lack of appreciation lies in our public schools. If greater knowledge of, and love for, music be taught there, perhaps in time our nation may equal Germany in musical culture.

The next meeting of the club is at Mrs. Erwin's. Mrs. Colver, Mrs. Tubbs and Mrs. Dyer had the stage at the opera house tastefully decorated for the Hanson entertainment.

On March 7, the Fortnightly Readers' Club met at its usual place, the home of Mrs. Edwards. After a piano solo, (Schubert's Impromptu in B) which was most exquisitely rendered by Miss Josephine Hills, a pleasing program was then given.

"Mr. Gillet's Love Story," the second from the "Scenes of Clerical Life" by George Eliot, was the study of the evening. A short paper, "The Reconstruction of Chevalier Manor," by Mrs. Sellers, was made particularly interesting by means of pictures illustrating various styles of architecture. Mrs. Read read Chap. IV, "Furnishings Discussed in the Housekeeper's Room." Miss Blanchard, being program leader, gave the principal paper of the evening, "The Love Problems of the Story," which was handled in an exceedingly interesting manner.

We have at present thirty-nine members. The limit is fixed at forty.

## For Sale.

At the Locke farm, two miles north of Lewis, Sorghum and Kafir corn, and one span of matched horses, hogs, farm machinery of all kinds, including stacker, wagons, buggies, etc. There are about fifty hogs, some being thoroughbred Berkshires, the rest sows and stockers. Also thoroughbred barred Plymouth Rock chickens, and white Holland and bronze turkeys for sale. Will sell on easy terms where security is good.

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LEWIS, EDWARDS COUNTY, KANSAS

## PUBLICATION NOTICE.

First published March 6, 1903.  
In the District Court of Edwards Co., Kansas.  
G. W. Maddox Plaintiff, vs. David Barringer, Defendant.

You, the defendant David Barringer, are hereby notified that you have been sued in the above-entitled case by G. W. Maddox, plaintiff in said action, and that the said plaintiff has filed his petition in said Court against you, and that unless you answer said petition on or before the 18th day of April, 1903, said petition will be taken as true, and a judgment rendered accordingly of the following nature, to-wit: a judgment quieting the said plaintiff's title to, and his possession of, the following described real estate, to-wit:—The Northwest Quarter of Section Fourteen (14) in Township Twenty-six (26) N. of Range Eighteen (18) W. of the 6th P. M., in Edwards County, State of Kansas, and excluding you from any interest therein.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court, this 6th day of March, 1903.

H. J. WILSON,  
Clerk of said Court.

A. C. DYER, Atty for Plaintiff.

## PUBLICATION NOTICE.

First published March 6, 1903.  
In the District Court of Edwards Co., Kansas.  
Edna M. Roberts Plaintiff, vs. V. D. Hillings, Cecelia May Ford, Emma Louis Ford, Virgil Billings and Roy Billings Defendants.

The defendants above named are hereby notified that they have been sued by said plaintiff in the above-entitled case in said Court, and that they must answer the petition of the plaintiff filed in said action on or before the 18th day of April, 1903, or the same will be taken as true and a judgment will be rendered in said action quieting the title in the plaintiff to the following described real estate situated in Edwards County, State of Kansas, to-wit:—All of Block No. Fifty-two—22—South of Coon Creek in the Arkansas Valley Town Company's Addition to the City of Kinsley, and also including the said defendants, and each of them, from any interest in said premises. Witness my hand and the seal of said Court, this 6th day of March, 1903.

H. J. WILSON,  
Clerk of said Court.

A. C. DYER, Atty for Plaintiff.

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